

ORCHARD WORKED  
OTHER SIDE TOO

Admits Having Been in the Em-  
ploy of Mine Owners and  
Was Railroad Detective.

WAS NOT MOLESTED BY  
MILITIA AT CRIPPLE CREEK

More Crimes Great and Small  
Added to Long String of Brutal-  
ities Under Severe Cross  
Examination by Defense.

By Associated Press.  
BOISE, Idaho, June 7.—Counsel for  
Haywood continued their attack on the  
testimony of Harry Orchard at both ses-  
sions of the trial today and centered  
the strongest assault on the events be-  
ginning with the explosion of the Vin-  
dicator mine and ending with the earlier  
meetings between the witness and the  
leaders of the Federation in Denver.  
To the extent that the traffic with the  
"other side" in the war of labor and  
capital in Colorado was discreditable  
they succeeded in discrediting the wit-  
ness.

Taking up the admission that Orchard  
made in direct examination that he had  
been treacherous to his comrades in  
Cripple Creek by tipping off the train  
wrecking plot, they developed the fact  
that Orchard had entered the employ of  
P. C. Scott, who had charge of the rail-  
way detectives.

Way Paid by Detective  
Orchard said that with Scott he met  
K. C. Sterling, a detective in the em-  
ploy of the Mine Owners' association  
and that Scott paid his expenses and  
accompanied him to Denver, where he  
first met Moyer and Haywood.

He said that he had to report to  
Scott that he was lying to him, that he  
had never intended to make reports and  
that he never did make any genuine  
reports to him.

The defense also tried to show that  
because he stood in with the other side  
Orchard was never molested by the  
militia in Cripple Creek during the  
strike. Orchard admitted that Scott  
had told him that if the militia inter-  
fered with him he was to send for him  
and that the militia never did interfere  
with him or search his house.

Was Given Hard Job  
Orchard said he went to Scott first  
because he had not been paid for his  
work at the Vindicator mine and he was  
jealous because he was given hard work  
like the Vindicator job while other men  
got the simple task of train wrecking  
by displacing crimes.

More crimes, great and small, were  
added to Orchard's record today. The  
Cripple Creek woman with whom he  
committed bigamy had three sons; Or-  
chard stole high-grade ore from his  
neatmate, and he stole the powder to  
make one of the bombs thrown into the  
Vindicator coal pile.

## Defense Tries to Discredit

The defense endeavored in various  
ways to throw a shadow of doubt and  
improbability around the whole Vin-  
dicator story and the alleged connection  
of W. F. Davis and William Easterly  
with the affair and the circumstances  
under which Orchard testified that he  
met Moyer and Haywood and was paid  
for the commission of the crime and to  
discredit Orchard's story that he was  
sent back to Cripple Creek with unlim-  
ited credit and orders to commit any  
acts of violence that he cared to. Or-  
chard was confronted with Easterly and  
Owen Barnes and the defense paved the  
way for a contradiction by them of the  
story told by Orchard and several times  
during the day paved the way for a  
contradiction of the testimony on ma-  
terial points. Orchard stood the strain  
of the test very well and held tenacious-  
ly to the story related yesterday and  
the day before.

## Guarded Moyer from Attack

Suddenly toward the close of the day  
the defense took up the trip Orchard  
made to southern Colorado in the early  
part of 1904 and showed that Moyer  
feared to go south unguarded because  
"the mine owners' official thugs" had  
beaten up innocent union men, and had  
sent for Orchard to aid in protecting  
him.

It was agreed that they should carry  
out-shotguns and sit in the center of  
the railway car, so that if they were  
attacked they could defend themselves.  
Attorney Richardson in questioning the  
witness made it very clear that this  
had been a perfectly straight proposi-  
tion and "free from any fake."

Counsel fired up several times dur-  
ing the day and in the last passage at  
arms Prosecutor Hawley said that Rich-  
ardson told a falsehood when he im-  
puted that Orchard was a fixed wit-  
ness.

UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE  
WANTED BY SOCIALISTS

By Associated Press.  
BRIDGESPORT, June 7.—Emperor Fran-  
cis Josef arrived here this afternoon  
for the celebration of the jubilee of  
his coronation as king of Hungary in  
1867. The Socialists seized the occa-  
sion to make a demonstration in favor  
of the extension of universal suffrage  
to Hungary. Great crowds which as-  
sembled in the streets during his maj-  
esty's journey from the railroad station

HAD TO PONY UP  
TO DO BUSINESS

Restaurant Keepers Forced to  
Pay Ruef and the Mayor or  
Lose License and Business.

By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, June 7.—A \$10,000 van-  
ity bow, made of gold and containing  
358 diamonds and sixty-three sapphires  
which two waiters attempted to pawn  
yesterday, resulting in their arrest, was  
identified today by Mrs. William K.  
Vanderbilt as her property. Mrs. Van-  
derbilt last October missed the bow af-  
ter a visit to Sherry's, where Costas  
Merras, one of the waiters arrested, was  
employed.

SERVIAN KING THROWN  
FROM HORSE AND HURT

By Associated Press.  
BELGRADE, Serbia, June 7.—While  
King Peter was riding today his horse  
became frightened and the king was  
thrown from his saddle. He was badly  
shaken and suffered a severe injury to  
his thigh. He returned to the palace  
in an electric car.

MITCHELL SUIT  
HEARING TODAY

Demurrer Will Be Argued in  
Case Involving a Large  
Amount of Money

One of the most important civil cases  
of the present term of court will come  
up this morning when the demurrer to  
the suit of the Mitchell Mining company  
against J. C. Britt and others will be  
argued. The suit involves stock in the  
Mitchell Mining company worth about  
\$40,000, a portion of the amount paid  
to J. C. Britt and A. T. Hammons for  
property acquired by the Mitchells and  
which the corporation claims was sold  
to them through fraud on the part of  
Britt. Britt has not been in Globe for  
several months and it is said he is in  
Nevada.

The case of the Globe Western com-  
pany vs. W. P. Greer et al. occupied  
most of the day again yesterday in the  
district court and was suspended until  
this morning, when it is thought the  
case will be submitted for judgment.

The case of Charles E. Oswill vs. Mir-  
iam E. Oswill for annulment of mar-  
riage is also set for today. The de-  
fendant has filed a cross complaint, to  
which answer has also been filed.

The case of Laura Collins vs. John  
Collins for divorce was taken up yester-  
day afternoon and continued until  
this morning. A subpoena was issued  
for the plaintiff, who will be called to  
the stand when court opens.

FRENCH AGREE  
TO BE MODERATE

Will Take Same Stand at the  
Hague Conference as in  
1899—Conciliatory

By Associated Press.  
PARIS, June 7.—In the chamber of  
deputies today M. de Pressens, Social-  
ist, interpellated the government rela-  
tive to the attitude of France at the  
Hague conference. He referred to Great  
Britain as the "precious instrument of  
peace for the whole world," and de-  
clared that immense armaments meant  
bankruptcy for countries adopting such  
a policy.

Foreign Minister Pichon in reply re-  
marked that the conference was verita-  
bly an international parliament.  
France would remain true to herself  
by playing the unrestricted role of mod-  
eration and conciliation, similar to that  
adopted by Mr. Bourgeois, head of the  
French delegation to the peace confer-  
ence of 1899. The names and reputa-  
tions of the French delegates, he added,  
guaranteed the useful fulfillment of  
their mission. The chamber unanimously  
approved of the minister's declara-  
tion.

WIFE OF PROFESSOR  
SUICIDES BY DROWNING

By Associated Press.  
BERLIN, June 7.—A dispatch from  
Karlsruhe says that Mrs. Karl Hau  
committed suicide by drowning yester-  
day in a lake near Pfaffikon, canton of  
Zurich, Switzerland.

Mrs. Hau was the wife of Carl Hau,  
professor of Roman law in George  
Washington university, who is charged  
with the murder of his mother-in-law,  
Mrs. Molitor, at Baden Baden, in No-  
vember last.

## The Weather

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, June 7.—Forecast  
for Arizona: Fair Saturday and Sun-  
day.

## Noted Actress Ill

By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, June 7.—Edna Wallace  
Hopper, the actress, is dangerously ill  
at her studio.

HAD TO PONY UP  
TO DO BUSINESS

Restaurant Keepers Forced to  
Pay Ruef and the Mayor or  
Lose License and Business.

FIVE PROPRIETORS  
TESTIFY YESTERDAY

Believed that Ruef Will Cinch  
the Case Against the Mayor  
by Giving Evidence Corro-  
borating Restaurateurs.

By Associated Press.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 7.—The  
proprietors, before the fire, of the five  
French restaurants alleged to have been  
victimized by Schmitz and Ruef, testi-  
fied for the prosecution today in the  
trial of the mayor for extortion. Two  
things stood out prominently when they  
finished: First, that without exception  
they claimed to have paid into the \$10,-  
000 protection fund because they were  
satisfied that unless they employed Ruef  
they would lose their licenses and busi-  
ness; second, that without exception  
they denied that any threat had been  
made that they would lose their licenses  
unless they employed Ruef or that Ruef  
asked to be employed, or that he or any  
one in his behalf solicited \$10,000 or  
any sum of money whatsoever.

## Ruef May Cinch Case

The prosecution contends that it is  
building up certain conviction by seek-  
ing to establish the fact that certain  
French restaurateurs themselves acted  
as agents of Ruef in suggesting that he  
be employed to protect their licenses  
and in the developments which followed  
and Heney has promised to prove—pre-  
sumably by the testimony of Ruef—that  
the money paid to Ruef was by him  
divided with the mayor, after which  
the licenses were granted.

The defense takes the position that  
thus far the prosecution has utterly  
failed to support the accusation against  
the mayor, inasmuch as he is charged  
with extorting through threat and fear.

## Mayor Was Surprised

The prosecution called Joseph Mal-  
fanti, proprietor of Delmonico's, before  
the fire. He called on the mayor after  
the revocation of Tortoni's license and  
asked him what the trouble was. The  
mayor was very friendly and expressed  
surprise that any difficulty should have  
arisen.

"I have nothing against the place,"  
he said, "I enjoy going to them myself,  
but I'll call a special meeting of the  
commission and see what can be done.  
I'll be there myself."

Malfanti attended the meeting, but  
Schmitz did not show up.

"Right away," said the witness, "I  
smelled a rat, and the commissioners  
wouldn't listen to any argument of  
ours."

## Ruef Demanded Big Fee

After the meeting the restaurateurs  
decided that the outlook was very blue  
and at the proposal of Loupy they de-  
cided to see if Ruef could do something  
for them. The next day they held a  
meeting at Adler's. When Loupy re-  
ported having seen Ruef and said that  
Ruef demanded \$7,000 a year for two  
years to take charge of the cases, "We  
instructed Loupy," said the witness,  
"to see all the other restaurateurs, but  
the only ones who came in were myself,  
Marchand, the New Poodle Dog, Pup  
and Bay State. We decided to stop  
talking and put our hands in our pocket-  
ets."

"Pierre Prie was not willing to  
trust Loupy, so he went himself and  
saw Ruef. He reported to us the next  
day. He said that Ruef would take  
\$5,000 a year for two years; if we paid  
we were to get our licenses. We agreed  
to pay. Loupy said he was too poor to  
pay his full share, so we allowed him to  
pay \$300.

## Not Paying for Fun

"I had about \$400,000 invested in  
Delmonico's. I did not pay my money  
to Ruef for fun. He was the man that  
controlled the administration. His re-  
lations with the mayor were such that  
he could do anything he wished. I  
paid because I was afraid I would lose  
my license. That would have ruined  
my business. I would have to close up.  
"We paid the money and got Ruef's  
word that it would be all right. I  
asked Prie if he got a receipt. 'No,'  
he said, 'you ought to be glad to get  
Ruef's 'word of honor.'"  
"Then did Ruef appear before the  
police board and represent you and the  
others and were your licenses regant-  
ed?"

## Mayor Calls at Delmonico's

Malfanti answered affirmatively; but  
he said that in the meantime the mayor  
came to his restaurant for dinner.

"I went upstairs to him at once when  
the waiter told me he was in the house.  
I said: 'Mayor, how is it that our  
licenses are still held up? Our business  
suffers very much.' The mayor said:  
'I don't understand why it is. I told  
him to fix it right away; I don't see  
why he hasn't done it. But I'll see him  
today and see that it is all right.'"  
"By 'him' did he refer to Ruef?"  
asked Heney.

The witness said he did not mention  
Ruef's name.

Judge Dunne, who several times ex-  
pressed himself as anxious that the case  
progress with as little delay as possi-  
ble, will hold a Saturday morning ses-  
sion. By noon the prosecution expects  
to complete its main case.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL  
SCORES IN BOTH LEAGUES

By Associated Press.  
American  
At New York— R. H. E.  
Cleveland ..... 6 10 4  
New York ..... 4 5 3  
Batteries—Joss and Clark; Kitson,  
Orth and Kleinow.

At Boston— R. H. E.  
Detroit ..... 5 5 1  
Boston ..... 3 7 1  
Batteries—Donahue and Archer;  
Glaze and Shaw.

At Washington— R. H. E.  
Washington ..... 2 5 1  
St. Louis ..... 1 9 1  
Batteries—Patter and Warner; How-  
ell and Buelow.

At Philadelphia— R. H. E.  
Chicago ..... 4 10 4  
Philadelphia ..... 5 11 3  
Ten innings.  
Batteries—White and McFarland;  
Plank and Schreck.

National  
At Pittsburgh— R. H. E.  
Pittsburgh ..... 5 9 3  
Boston ..... 4 12 2  
Batteries—Lee, Everett and Gibson;  
Young and Needham.

SCANDAL COMING  
IN ARMY SOCIETY

Officer's Wife Sues West Point  
Academy Officials for Barr-  
ing Her from the Grounds.

BRINGS CIVIL SUIT  
FOR HUNDRED THOUSAND

Expected that Public Will Get  
Inside Dope on Social Life  
in Army Circles When Case  
Comes to Trial.

By Associated Press.  
WEST POINT, N. Y., June 7.—In  
the absence of her husband, who has  
gone to New York for the day, Mrs.  
Elizabeth Fairfax Ayres declined today  
to discuss the details of her suit for  
damages which it is said she is about  
to bring against several high officers of  
the military academy. Mrs. Ayres said  
the case is now in the hands of a New  
York lawyer and the formal papers of  
the suit will soon be served.

If the case comes to trial it is be-  
lieved some interesting side lights will  
be thrown on the social life at the acade-  
my. Under ordinary circumstances any  
misunderstandings in which the officers  
of the academy or their wives might  
become involved would be threshed out  
before a courtmartial and the testi-  
mony never be published. In this case,  
however, an appeal is to be made to  
the civil courts and the testimony will  
probably be given in public.

## Just Back from Islands

Mrs. Ayres is the wife of Lieutenant  
Colonel Charles Ayres, who returned  
Saturday on leave of absence following  
duty in the Philippines and is now sta-  
tioned at the academy. She resides just  
outside of the reservation and under a  
recent order issued upon the request of  
academy officials, Mrs. Ayres is denied  
the privilege of visiting the grounds.  
The order of prohibition, which is said  
to have a large place in Mrs. Ayres'  
complaint in support of her suit for  
damages, does not apply to her husband  
or son, who is a cadet at the academy.  
The order of prohibition against Mrs.  
Ayres, which was issued before her  
husband returned, followed a long pe-  
riod of misunderstanding between Mrs.  
Ayres and the academy officials. The  
facts are disputed.

MRS. AYRES' HUSBAND  
WILL STAND BY HER

HIGHLAND FALLS, N. Y., June 7.—  
After reading a communication from  
the war department, Lieutenant Colonel  
Charles G. Ayres tonight declared that  
he would support his wife in the action  
she has instructed her attorney to in-  
stitute against Superintendent Hugh  
Scott and other officials of the West  
Point military academy. Colonel Ayres  
returned this evening from New York  
and found a letter from Washington  
awaiting him. While declining to dis-  
cuss its contents, he intimated that they  
touched upon the course adopted by  
Mrs. Ayres.

He made it plain that he proposed to  
see his wife through to the finish. Ayres  
said he would not make public the let-  
ter from the war department until he  
had first shown it to his wife's attor-  
ney, in whose hands it would be placed  
tomorrow.

## Sues for \$100,000

Mrs. Ayres' attorney, Mann Trice of  
New York, has been instructed to file  
damage suits aggregating \$100,000  
against Colonel Scott, Lieutenant Col-  
onel Robert L. Howse, commandant of  
cadets; Captain Llewellyn W. Oliver,  
assistant instructor of tactics; Lieuten-  
ant Colonel Stephen C. Mills, inspector  
general.

It is understood that Mrs. Ayres  
bases her allegations upon alleged dis-  
courtesy received at West Point, les-  
sons culminated in the colonel's wife  
being forbidden to enter the reserva-  
tion. The Ayres home adjoins the acade-  
my grounds.

ARRANGE PROGRAM  
FOR THE FOURTH

Committee on Sports Decides  
on Many Good Features for  
the Big Celebration.

MONEY FLOWING IN  
FOR THE GRAND EVENT

Three Thousand Dollars Raised  
Second Day—Wrestling  
Contest Added to Program  
—Parade Arrangements.

Talk about getting the coin! The  
finance committee of the Fourth of July  
celebration got busy yesterday and be-  
fore they knew it, they had received  
subscriptions for almost \$3,000. They  
figure that two more days' work will  
see the required \$5,000 subscribed and  
then all efforts will be turned toward  
the preparation for the big celebration.  
The result of the first day's actual work  
by the committee was a great surprise.  
While it was known that the money  
would be raised, it was not thought that  
so little time would be consumed in  
raising it. Of course, it isn't all raised  
yet, but it's a cinch that it will be  
after a thorough canvass of the busi-  
ness section of the city.

The Old Dominion company and The  
United Globe Mines of the Phelps  
Dodge company heads the list with \$1,-  
000, the former subscribing \$750 and  
the latter \$250. The list of subscriptions  
up to date will be published in tomor-  
row's issue of the Silver Belt.

There was a meeting of the commit-  
tee on sports last evening and the fol-  
lowing program, which is subject to  
change, was agreed upon. It is planned  
to have most of the events occur on  
Broad street. The events are as fol-  
lows:

Drilling Contest  
Double handed—First prize, \$500;  
second, \$250; entrance fee, \$25.  
Single handed—First, \$250; second,  
\$100; entrance fee, \$12.50.  
For boys under 16 years, double hand-  
ed—First, \$75; second, \$25; entrance,  
\$5.

Tug of War  
Class A—Six men to a team, weight  
over 160 pounds, \$250; entrance, \$6 a  
team; number of teams unlimited.  
Class B—160 pounds and under, \$100;  
entrance same.

Horse Races  
Free-for-all dash, 300 yards—First,  
\$75; second, \$25; entrance, \$5.  
Cow pony relay race—Run 300 yards,  
unsaddle and resaddle new horse and  
back to start—First, \$75; second, \$25;  
entrance, \$5.

Foot Races  
One hundred yard dash—First \$35;  
second, \$15; entrance, \$2.50.  
Wheelbarrow race, \$10; entrance, \$1.  
Three-legged race for men, \$10.  
Sack race, free for all, \$5.  
Boys' race, 12 years and under—First,  
\$5; second, \$2.50.

Girls' race, 10 years and under—  
First, \$5; second, \$2.50.  
Wrestling matel—Catch-as-catch-can,  
free for all, \$100; entrance, \$10.  
Gun club shoot—Twenty-five birds;  
first, gold medal worth \$25 and silver  
medal \$10.  
Baseball—First, \$250; second, \$100.  
Greased pig chase, prize the pig and  
\$5.

All entries except for the greased pig  
should be in not later than June 25 to  
the respective committees, which are as  
follows:

Sports Committees  
Arrangements—A. Trojanovich, J. G.  
Naquin, Joe Prochaska, Al Sterns.  
Drilling—A. Trojanovich, J. H.  
Thompson.

Horse races—Tip Henderson, J. H.  
Thompson.  
Baseball—Al Sterns, Joe Prochaska.  
Foot races—J. L. Alexander, Ed Grid-  
der.

Tug of war—A. Trojanovich, Tip  
Henderson.  
Wrestling—Al Sterns, J. G. Naquin.  
Gun club—Ed Gridder, Tip Henderson.  
Judges and referees for various con-  
tests will be announced later.

## For the Big Parade

At a meeting of the parade commit-  
tee held last evening it was decided to  
offer a prize of \$50 for the best float  
in the parade, \$50 for the lodge, union  
or other organization making the most  
attractive showing in the parade and  
other minor prizes will be announced  
at a later date. The names of judges  
will also be announced later. Prizes  
will also be awarded to school children  
who will march in the parade.

Globe lodge of Elks, Globe aerie of  
Eagles, Pinal Mountain lodge Knights  
of Pythias and the Odd Fellows have  
so far sent in their names to the pa-  
rade committee, as have the Barbers'  
union, Typographical union and Inter-  
national Pressmen's union. Others de-  
siring to take part are requested to  
send in the names of their organization  
so that the committee can arrange their  
places in the parade.

Roland Jacobs of the Globe Jewelry  
company leaves this morning for Los  
Angeles, where he will purchase the sup-  
ply of fireworks for the night celebra-  
tion. Fifteen hundred dollars will be  
expended in this manner, assuring the  
finest display ever seen in Globe.

DIAMOND DEALER SLAIN;  
BAG OF GEMS STOLEN

By Associated Press.  
MELBOURNE, Australia, June 7.—  
Bernard Bauer, a diamond merchant,  
was found in his office today with a  
crushed skull and died in a few hours.  
A bag containing \$50,000 worth of gems  
is missing.

## Pretender Winning

By Associated Press.  
MELILLA, Morocco, June 7.—It is  
reported that the pretender to the  
throne of Morocco has again been vic-  
torious over the sultan's army.

ARMY OFFICER SUICIDES  
IN TEXAS AFTER RESIGNING

By Associated Press.  
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, June 7.—Lieutenant Mack Richardson, whose re-  
signation was yesterday accepted by  
President Roosevelt, committed suicide  
today in a room at Fort Sam Houston  
by the use of morphine and prussic  
acid. A note saying his act had been  
inevitable since last November was  
found on the table.

TWO ARE KILLED  
IN POWDER MILL

Explosion at Dupont Works at  
Santa Cruz, Cal.—Entire  
City Shaken

By Associated Press.  
SANTA CRUZ, Cal., June 7.—An-  
other fatal explosion occurred at the E.  
I. Dupont powder mill this evening  
when the mill in which is the big press  
went up in smoke. Two men, Thomas  
Kearney and William Manseau, both  
employees of the powder company, were  
instantly killed.

The direct cause of the explosion can-  
not be learned, but it is supposed that  
it was through the carelessness of the  
men. Kearney and Manseau were the  
only men in the mill when the explo-  
sion occurred.

The force of the explosion was ter-  
rific. All buildings in the city were  
badly shaken and in many homes dishes  
were broken.

INTERNATIONAL HORSE  
SHOW OPENS IN LONDON

By Associated Press.  
LONDON, June 7.—The first interna-  
tional horse show held in England, an  
exhibition of horses similar in many  
respects to the Madison Square Garden  
show, with the added interest that the  
competitors come from many countries,  
opened at Olympia today and will con-  
tinue for a week.

GLOBE DISTRICT  
HAS A NEW TOWN

Postoffice to Be Established on  
Lower Pinto to Be Known  
as Crowley

The town of Crowley is the latest ad-  
dition to the Globe district. Residents  
of the section of the Globe mining dis-  
trict along lower Pinto Creek have pe-  
titioned the postoffice department for  
the establishment of a postoffice there  
and it is understood that it has been  
granted. James Lightfoot, who was re-  
cently appointed justice of the peace  
for the new precinct of Pinto Creek,  
will be the first postmaster. The name  
of the postoffice will be Crowley in  
honor of Con Crowley, the veteran  
prospector and reputed daddy of the  
lower Pinto country.

A year ago there were only a few  
straggling camps along Lower Pinto and  
at present it is one of the liveliest  
parts of the district. It has recently  
been made a school district and a  
teacher will be assigned there when  
school opens in the fall.

There are now three postoffices in the  
district outside of Globe, one having  
been recently established at Black War-  
rior and one at Bellevue, the Gibson  
camp.

LITTLE CHILDREN DIE  
BECAUSE OF GRIEF

By Associated Press.  
CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 7.—As the  
result of taking rat poison with sui-  
cidal intent Marguerite Curtis, aged 11,  
and her sister, aged 10, are dead. Grief  
caused by the death of their mother a  
year ago is assigned by the children as  
the basis of a pact between them to end  
their lives.

PUBLIC UTILITIES  
LAW IN WISCONSIN

By Associated Press.  
MADISON, Wis., June 7.—The state  
assembly today passed the public util-  
ities bill by a vote of 77 to 10. The bill  
provides for the control by the state  
railway commission of all public util-  
ity corporations except gas and tele-  
phone companies. The commission has  
power over service and rates.

HARRIMAN GETS  
IMMUNITY BATH

White House Conference De-  
cides Magnate Cannot Be  
Criminally Prosecuted.

LONG CONFERENCE  
ENDS AT MIDNIGHT

Coal Carrying Roads Will Be  
Prosecuted and the Attorney  
General Is Instructed to Go  
After Harvester Trust.

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, June 7.—That Har-  
riman, the railroad magnate, is immune  
from criminal prosecution as the result  
of his testimony before the interstate  
commission in New York recently; that  
the question of the prosecution of bi-  
tuminous coal-carrying railroads should  
be left in the hands of the attorney  
general and the prosecution of anthra-  
cite coal roads is to begin in Philadel-  
phia probably next week were the con-  
clusions reached at a notable confer-  
ence held at the White House tonight.

The Harriman case and the cases of  
the coal-carrying roads were discussed  
after three hours by Roosevelt, five mem-  
bers of the cabinet, two members of the  
interstate commission and the special  
counsel for the government.

## After Harvester Trust

Following the general conference At-  
torney General Bonaparte remained  
with the president to discuss the so-  
called harvester trust. It is not un-  
likely that the question of the prosecu-  
tion of that organization will be left  
in the attorney general's hands.

The bituminous roads involved in-  
clude the Delaware, Susquehanna &  
Schuylkill, Philadelphia & Reading, Le-  
high Valley, Delaware & Hudson, Dela-  
ware, Lackawanna & Hudson, Central  
Railroad of New Jersey and the Balti-  
more & Ohio.

The Pennsylvania railroad and one or  
two others may become involved as  
the suit progresses, but at this time no  
formal complaint will be filed against  
them.

## Those Who Were There

Those who participated in the confer-  
ence were Roosevelt, Taft, Root, Cor-  
leyou, Commissioners Knapp and Lane,  
Frank B. Kellogg, special counsel for  
the government, and Secretary Loeb.  
The conference adjourned a few minutes